



# Investigating Crimes Against Animals

## REGION III/XV

FPSI

### Course Outline:

This 40-hour CJSTC course is designed to enhance and build on basic skills, knowledge, and ability for investigating animal abuse crimes. The course will provide the participant with an in depth view of animal abuse crimes from the initial call to the prosecution.

### Course Objectives:

- Recognizing crimes against animals, animal sex crimes, and animal fighting
- Responding to crime against animals and how to collect evidence and build a case
- Animal crime prevention

### Who Should Attend:

To attend this training the participant must be a Florida law enforcement officer, corrections officer, probation officer, or support personnel for a Florida law enforcement organization. For salary incentive courses, all officers outside Region III/XV must provide written authorization by agency representative requesting attendance and election of salary incentive or mandatory retraining.

### Class Dates and Location:

**Salary Incentive:** Yes

**Location:** Conference Center Building

**Instructor:** Dr. Adam Stern

**Course Dates:** September 15-19, 2025

**Course Time:** 8:00 AM to 5:00 PM

### Course Costs:

Tuition for Florida trust funded classes are covered fully by the trust fund. Housing and meals are provided ONLY for Region XV officers attending classes held at the Florida Public Safety Institute where the student is traveling over 50 miles to attend.

### Course Calendar:

Click [here](#) to view our training courses.

### Enrollment Information:

To register, Region III & XV officers should contact their agency training coordinator(s); all others contact:

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